GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RURAL DEVELOPMENT
LOK SABHA

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Distribution of Bhoodan Land to Landless
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Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether a major part of land received during 'Bhoodan Movement' has not been distributed among the landless till date;
(b) if so, the details thereof along with the reasons therefor;
(c) the number of landless people among whom the land received during 'Bhoodan Movement' is yet to be distributed, State/UT-wise;
(d) whether the Government has issued/proposes to issue any guidelines to the State Governments in this regard; and
(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT
(SHRI RAM KRIPAL YADAV)
(a) to (e) : As per Entry 18 and Entry 45 of List ll (State List) of the Seventh Schedule of the Constitution, the subject of 'Land' revenue administration falls in the jurisdiction of States.

Land under Bhoodan is managed by States.

Information on land donated and distributed etc. under Bhoodan is not regularly maintained and updated centrally in the Department of Land Resources
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